Docket No.: 57454-224

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Hideto HIDAKA

Serial No.: 09/982,936

Filed: October 22, 2001

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Examiner: D. Lam

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated April 19, 2002, now due to expire July 19, 2002, be extended for one month(s) and set to expire on August 19, 2002.

Please charge the extension fee of \$110.00 to Deposit Account No. 500417. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500417.

Respectfully submitted,

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